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Invention: Shielding Gas Filter For Welding Apparatus							
TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS: Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.							
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INDEP. CLAIMS:	4	MINUS	3	1	\$84.00	\$84.00	
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<p>_____ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.</p> <p>_____ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.</p> <p><u> X </u> A credit card authorization in the amount of \$ 264.00 is attached.</p> <p>_____ No additional fee is required.</p>							
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